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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Boxall et al.
Examiner : To be assigned
Serial No. : 09/986,484
Group Art Unit : 2661
Confirmation No. : 5130
Attorney Docket No. : CYB-011157
Filing Date : October 22, 2001
Title : SYSTEM AND METHOD OF PROVIDING
COMPUTER NETWORKING

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION FOR THREE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Dear Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant respectfully requests an extension of the period in which to file the response to the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed November 27, 2001, relative to the above-identified patent application, for an additional three months, from January 27, 2002, up to and including April 27, 2002.

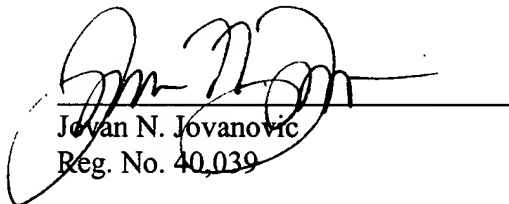
In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant respectfully submits that a response was originally required to be filed on or before January 27, 2002, a period of two months from the mailing date of the Notice to File Missing Parts; that the above-identified patent application is not involved in an interference proceeding; and that Applicant hereby submits PTO Form 2038 for Authorization to Charge Credit Card for fees identified thereon, including the amount of \$460.00, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3). Accordingly, Applicant petitions for acceptance of the presently requested three month extension of time.

If any other charges or fees must be paid or credited in connection with this communication, they may be paid out of our Deposit Account No. 50-2131.

Respectfully submitted,

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